ROTARY CLUB OF BAIRNSDALE INC

BULLETIN No 12, Oct 2nd, 2018

What's On

Our Meetings 5.45 pm for 6.15pm start Oct 2^{nd} – Donna Giuffrida Oct 9^{th} – Graeme Reynolds & Hat Night Oct 23^{rd} – Board Meeting Oct 30^{th} – Film Night for Polio Plus Oct 7th – BBQ at Buchan Caves Oct 19th – Calendar Girls Oct 21st – Sale Greyhounds Oct 28th – BBQ for Diabetes 1

Other Clubs

Mitchell River ~ Bairnsdale RSL Monday 5.45pm for 6.00pm Leave Message 9517 1220 before 11.00am Mondays

Bairnsdale Sunrise ~ International Motel Wednesday 6.45am for 7.00am Call Sue 0438 278 258

Lakes Entrance ~ Central Hotel Wednesday 6.00pm for 6.30pm Call Lesley 0419 871 197

Orbost ~ Orbost Club Thursday 6.00pm for 6.30pm Call Gillian 0429 591 012

DOOR & WELCOME ROSTER

October – John and Bonnie November – John Crawford and Tony December – Rex and Michelle January – John A and Rex

Marquee Dates

27th October - Bairnsdale - cancelled

Celebrations

<u>Spouse Birthdays</u> – Oct 5th Wally Walton Joined Rotary Jeff Fuller 3/10/95 Marg Macfarlane 4/10/16

Presidential theme 2018/19: Be the Inspiration



RI President-elect Barry Rassin's theme for 2018-19. Re the Inspiration. asks Rotarians to inspire change in the world and in each other. "I ask all of you to Be the Inspiration to help Rotary move from reaction to action — to take а hard look at the environmental issues that affect health and welfare around the world and do what we can to help."

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OctoberRotary <u>Theme</u> Economic and Community Development



President RI: **Barry Rassin** D9820 Governor: Janne Speirs D9820 EG Assistant Governor: Judy van der Vlugt Club President: **Tony Murray** Past President: **Corres Secretary: Gillian Reeve** Treasurer: **Michelle Young** Membership & Vocation **Brian Ross** PR, Bulletin, Bonnie Walker and Facebook, Web: **Gillian Reeve** Patricia MurrayWalton Youth Service: John Ariens Community John Walker Programs International: Ula and Ken Sheather Foundation: Ula and Ken Sheather **Club Meets at:** The Bairnsdale Club Tuesdays 6pm 68 Nicholson St Bairnsdale PH: 5152 4301 Phone Club before 12 noon Web Sites to visit:

Our Facebook Page – rcbairnsdale Our Webpage – rcbairnsdale.org Youtube.com/rotary Rotary International - rotary.org.au

Marquee Hire: John Crawford 0412432325 Marquee Volunteers are welcome



Correspondence to the Secretary Rotary Club of Bairnsdale PO 287, Bairnsdale. 3875.

FARMERS RELIEF

This week saw another 38 bales arrive in Bairnsdale organised by the Rotary Club of Lilydale and Rob Bennett (Lilydale). Our club will be paying half of the cost of the hay plus cartage and thank Lilydale for bringing it from a farm in Dimboola. Rob Bennett freighted the bales to us and they were unloaded at Grinters, where the farmers will be able to collect. Rex has had a busy few days phoning around to identify recipients, some farmers have even contacted up through our Facebook page. As always it is great to know that we are making a difference and with the feed back that we have been receiving we know that the farmers appreciate what we are doing.

We have received a further donation from St Pauls in Sale which will go for more feed. At our Board Meeting we discussed that we should purchase pellets locally, for cattle and sheep as the price of hay escalates.

All hands on deck for the BBQ on Sunday 7, October and keep your fingers crossed for good weather. We are sure that it will be a great day.



Do you know anyone who might be interested?

The Inner Wheel Club of Bairnsdale is holding a fashion parade in conjunction with Noni B with all proceeds going to MND.

It is at St Mary's Parish Centre on Saturday, 13th of October at 1.00pm. Tickets available from Ula, 0409568649

Food for Thought

Rotary District 9820 Saturday at 10:02 am · 🔇 SAFE WATER FOR EVERY CHILD

Charlie Speirs' DG Partner's Project 2018-19 is to raise money to install SkyHydrant Water Filtration systems in Third World Schools. The SkyHydrant is a proven sustainable method of removing all bacteria and dirt & produces 1000 litres of safe water an hour. Charlie's target is \$15,000 - this sum will allow the opportunity to raise a Global Grant from Rotary Foundation which would double the money available to installing Skyhydrants in schools. Let's get behind this project and raise funds for this as EVERY child in the world deserves SAFE WATER!



This request was forwarded to us by the Rotary Club of Bairnsdale Sunrise asking for helpers as marshals on the day. I said I would pass on to all our members. Thanks, Gillian



This major cycling event, you know push bike racing !!!!!!! is on the Thursday the 18th to Sunday the 21st October. First 3 days are in Metung and Sawn Reach area and the Sunday in Paynesville.

Simon Anderson and Carina are major sponsors along with the Big Garage Ian McKenzie.

Cycling Australia is asking for volunteers.

Please push hard for volunteer marshals as I am really short on these, even with the Rotary Club .If they are happy to help we would give a donation back to the club.

Bill Flack 0409382542